

# THE STATE OF TOBACCO CONTROL IN DUBOIS COUNTY

## *Tobacco and Health in Dubois County*

**Percent of adults who smoke: 15%**

- **Indiana: 21.1%**
- **United States: 16.1%**

**Cardiovascular deaths: 246.1**

(per 100,000 residents)

- **Indiana: 243.9**
- **United States: 222.3**

**Lung cancer deaths: 37.0**

(per 100,000 residents)

- **Indiana: 52.3**
- **United States: 41.8**

**Asthma related emergency room visits: 5.6**

(per 10,000 residents)

- **Indiana: 47.4**

### *Smoking and Pregnancy*

**Births affected by smoking**  
**53**

**Cost of smoking related births**  
**\$71,974**

**Percent of pregnant women who smoke**

- **Indiana: 11.5%**
- **Dubois County: 10.3%**

### *Smoking Deaths and Illnesses*

**Deaths attributable to smoking**  
**71**

**Deaths due to secondhand smoke**  
**9**

**Economic burden of secondhand smoke**  
**\$14 Million**

**People living with a smoking related illness**  
**2,132**

### *Cost of Tobacco Use*

**\$6.1 billion**

Economic cost in Indiana due to smoking

**\$903 per Indiana household**

State and federal tax burden from smoking-caused  
government expenditures

*There is no tobacco control grant in Dubois County for 2019-2021*